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SETTING UP OF NEW RAILWAY STATIONS IN DELHI
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to set up new Railway Stations in Delhi;

(b) if so, the details of the new stations proposed to be set up alongwith the places identified for the same and the estimated cost involved in the establishment of each new station;

(c) whether any time schedule has been fixed for the establishment of these new Railway Stations; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and to what extent the traffic on the existing stations is likely to be reduced ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) to (d): The Railways is considering proposals for provision of directional terminals to be located at periphery of Delhi. This includes a Passenger Terminal at Anand Vihar for East bound trains. However, the Railways' strategy is to fully exploit terminals in Delhi area namely New Delhi, Delhi, Nizamuddin and Delhi Sarai Rohilla before taking up the work of additional terminals. The work pertaining to development of existing terminals in Delhi area have already been sanctioned and are in different stages of completion.